

COUNT TISZA.

Premier of Hungary May Become Foreign Minister.



Photo by American Press Association.

CABINET CRISIS IMMINENT

Count Tisza May Become Austrian Foreign Minister.

Amsterdam, March 14.—A Vienna dispatch to the Frankfurter Zeitung says it is reported in political circles that an Austrian cabinet crisis is imminent.

It is declared as certain that Count Henry Clam-Martinic, the premier, will resign and probably will be replaced by Count Czernin, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs.

It also is reported that Count Tisza, the Hungarian premier, will succeed Count Czernin.

PROPOSES RADICAL CHANGES IN RATES

Washington, March 14.—The interstate commerce commission has placed before the transcontinental railways tentative findings in the intermountain rate cases, proposing re-alignment of virtually the entire structure of freight rates between the East and West on every commodity.

The railroads are given until April 2 to enter any objection. The time has come, the commission holds, for abolition of low preferential rates from Eastern producing centers to Pacific ports.

Hereafter, should the commission's findings be made permanent, intermediate points will be given rates from Eastern centers as low as rates to the coast, if not lower.

Under the commission's proposal this result could be attained in two ways:

First, by increasing through rates from the East to Pacific ports on a number of articles on which the present rate is found to be unreasonably low.

Second, by realigning rates to intermediate points on many articles on which the present through rate is found to be reasonable.

ORDERS FROM WASHINGTON

American Consuls to Assist Yarrowdale Victims.

Washington, March 14.—Arrival of the fifty-nine Yarrowdale prisoners at Zurich was officially reported by Minister Stovall at Berne.

The state department has instructed Minister Stovall to supply the men with every comfort.

The disposition of the men has been left in the hands of American consuls in Switzerland, under instructions to provide them with the necessary funds for their early return to this country.

STRIKE EFFECTIVE NORTHERN PACIFIC SUNDAY 5 P. M. UNLESS ANNULLED

WILSON'S MESSAGE SHARPLY MILITANT SENTIMENT ASKED

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—President Wilson's message to the 65th congress, which has been called in extraordinary session, will be strongly militant, and defense measures such as the country has not been called upon to furnish since the Spanish-American war will probably be urged upon congress, and possibly the urgent request for some sort of military training will be pressed. President Wilson and Secretary Lansing have sent out an appeal for the sentiment of the country of universal military training, to the newspapers ahead of the public and will take cognizance of the protests as voicing the sentiment "back home."

Tariff Board Appointments Made Public

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—President Wilson has announced the appointments on the tariff board as: Prof. Frank Taussig, of Harvard, chairman; U. S. Culbertson, federal trade commission, Kansas; Wm. Kent, California independent who supported Wilson in the last campaign; David Lewis, defeated candidate for the U. S. senate from Maryland, democrat; E. P. Costigan, Denver, progressive; and Daniel Roper, democrat, formerly in the postal service.

Dr Cary Grayson Title Rear Admiral

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—The senate naval affairs committee has ordered a favorable report on the nomination of Dr. Gary Grayson, medical director of the navy, with the title of rear admiral.

Gerard Arrives

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—Ambassador Gerard has arrived to report German conditions to the administration.

COAL MEN WARNED PRICE MUST BE CUT

Washington, March 14.—The federal trade commission has notified the country's leading anthracite coal producers that a failure to grant the usual spring price reductions cannot be justified by claims of increased cost of production.

The commission has heard, the notice says, that producers intend either to withdraw or reduce the regular seasonal discounts on the ground of increased mining costs.

In its inquiry into the cost of mining anthracite, the report on which soon will be issued, the commission has obtained detailed information on the costs of companies which mined in 1916 about 75 per cent of the total production of anthracite.

"This information," says the commission, "indicates no increase in average cost in the last four months of 1916 and further indicates an actual decrease of cost in the cases of some of the companies whose cost of production is high."

German Raider in Indian Ocean.

Tokio, March 14.—It is officially announced that a converted German cruiser has been sighted in the Indian ocean and is now being chased by Japanese and British warships. The German boat has sunk a Japanese freighter.

Strike Order Promulgated in Chicago this Afternoon and will Become Effective in 3 Groups

INCONCEIVABLE SITUATION WITH ACUTE FOOD SHORTAGE EXPECTED

Germans Sink American Ship Loaded with Food Supplies by Submarine Unwarned, Crew Safe

SECOND GROUP ORDERED STRIKE AT 5 SUNDAY

(By United Press)

Chicago, March 14.—The brotherhood officials received their strike orders this afternoon. The first group, consisting of the Indiana roads, were ordered to strike at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, unless strike order is recalled.

The second group is ordered to strike at 5 o'clock Sunday, and this group includes all the Northern Pacific and Great Northern lines.

The third group, ordered to strike on Monday at 5 o'clock affects all the men left working.

An inconceivable situation with acute food shortages is anticipated.

Senator Gardner would Regulate Iron Foundries

(By United Press)

St. Paul, March 14.—Senator Gardner, of Brainerd, has introduced a bill providing for the regulation of iron foundries, the purpose of the bill being to insure the health and safety of the employees of foundries.

GIVES COLOMBIA \$25,000,000

Senate Committee Approves Modified Treaty.

Washington, March 14.—The senate foreign relations committee has approved in modified form the treaty with Colombia by which the United States will pay that republic \$25,000,000 for the partition of Panama. It will be pressed to a vote in the present special senate session.

Lost Rancher Saves His Horses.

Sydney, Mont., March 14.—Convinced that death was staring him in the face the last act of Emil Anderson, a rancher residing near here, was to unhitch his horses and turn them loose to take their chance for life in the storm which proved fatal to him. Anderson's body was found by a searching party headed by his brother. The horses were saved.

MAIL ON AMERICAN SHIP SEIZED BY BRITISH.

New York, March 14.—Mail carried on an American ship, the Standard Oil tanker John Archbold, was removed by the British authorities at Halifax, according to the officers of the vessel, which arrived here from Bergen, Norway. This is said to be the first time that a ship flying the American flag on the Atlantic has been denied the privilege of transporting mail from a foreign country.

Algonquin Submarine Carried Swift Cargo Valued at a Million

(By United Press)

London, March 14.—The American steamer Algonquin, armed, bound for London and carrying food, was torpedoed Monday morning, the crew of 27 being saved. The submarine refused to assist the survivors who were in life boats. The American consul has issued a report of the torpedoing.

AMERICAN OWNERS VESSEL UNARMED SWIFT CO. CARGO

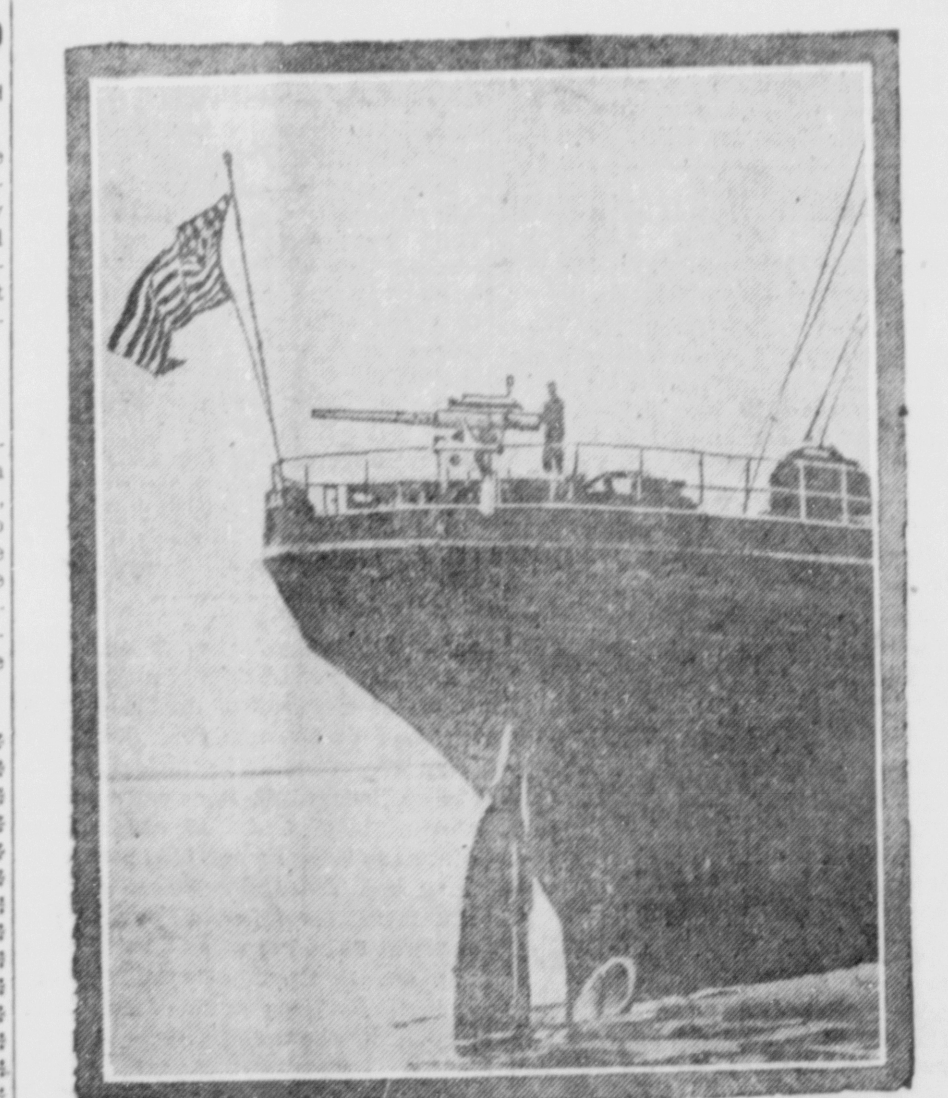
New York, March 14.—The American Star Line owners of the submarine Algonquin have received a confirmation here of the submarine. She carried a cargo from Swift & Co. and the officials claim the vessel was not armed. The vessel was formerly in the lake traffic from Port Arthur, Ontario, and was transferred to the American Registry and Trans-Atlantic service when the lack of ocean bottoms became acute.

RUSS CAPTURES KERMANSHAN

(By United Press)

London, March 14.—An official statement says that the Russians have captured Kermanshan from the Turks in Persia.

How American Merchant Ships Will Be Armed



This photograph shows how American merchant ships will look when armed against German submarines. There is a three-inch gun high at the stern of this liner. It may be swung around to shoot at a submarine on either side or in the rear. Naval officers may advise that such a gun be also placed at the bow of the vessel.

Sinking American Ship Algonquin Confirms Belief

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—Sinking the American ship Algonquin confirms the belief that Germany will carry the ruthless submarining to American ships. The general situation, however, is unaltered, and armed ships continue for the present the only defense against Germany's illegal naval methods. The indications here are that the Algonquin was unarmed.

China and Germany Relations Broken Ships are Seized

(By United Press)

Washington, March 14.—It is officially reported that a message to the navy department from the senior American national Commander-in-Chief Waters states that diplomatic relations between China and Germany have been broken. China seized all the German vessels, numbering six in the Shanghai harbor, the crews being sent ashore and an armed guard being placed aboard the vessels.

Returning Envoys will Try to Avoid War with the U. S.

(By United Press)

Copenhagen, March 14.—It is learned here that the returning envoys from the United States will try to honorably avoid war between Germany and the United States. They will tell Zimmerman that his letter to Exchardt regarding the Mexican plot was a mistake.

WAPAUME SEEMS DOOMED

(By United Press)

With the British Armies Afraid, March 14.—Wapaume seems doomed and if the citadel which Von Hidenberg called another Gibraltar does not fall before the end of the week it will be because the British plans have been laid elsewhere.

TURKS TAKE POSITIONS

(By United Press)

Constantinople, March 14.—An official report says that the Turks have taken new positions between Bagdad and Samara.

FOOD SCARCE AFTER STORM

Many Cyclone Refugees Forced to Depend on Charity.

Newcastle, Ind., March 14.—Food, clothing and money for the relief of victims of the tornado, which destroyed more than \$1,000,000 worth of property and took many lives, is badly needed.

Food supplies are scarce and many families are forced to depend on charity.

Three persons are still missing. This city's death total is nineteen. Twenty-five injured are in hospitals. Two children at the Home hospital are unable to give their names and no one has claimed them. It is believed their parents were killed.

WITH WIRELESS ON APPAM

German Commander Sent Useful Information to Berlin.

Norfolk, Va., March 14.—Discovery of a secret wireless outfit on the prize steamer Appam here has been followed by evidence that Lieutenant Berg, the German prize commander, as late as Dec. 8 had sent radio messages to a German ship.

There is evidence that Berg had some knowledge of the British code and it is believed that he got information of value through to Germany.

The message sent Dec. 8 concerned consideration of the German situation by President Wilson and in congress.

GOVERNOR LISTER.

Armed Crank Overpowered in the Executive Office.



GOVERNOR FLEES FROM GUN

Crank Caught in Office of Washington Executive.

Olympia, Wash., March 14.—An armed man giving his name as Charles Lorenz and his residence as Milwaukee forced his way into the office of Governor Ernest Lister, where he remained half an hour before he surrendered to employees of the state legislature.

Governor Lister heard the commotion outside his office and escaped to another room before the man entered the executive chamber.

Lorenz said a religious sect had planned to burn him at the stake and make a "Roman holiday" out of him.

GERMAN GOVERNMENT SENDS ANOTHER NOTE

Washington, March 14.—Dr. Paul Ritter, the Swiss ambassador to the United States, has a message to deliver to Secretary of State Lansing from the German government.

It is the general belief here that it is in connection with a formal notice served by this government on the world of its intention to arm American merchantmen.

Dr. Ritter as yet has been unable to secure a conference with the secretary.

It was announced at the state department that the United States would proceed with all haste in its plans to arm merchantmen.

TEUTONS SUFFER LOSS OF MANY SUBMARINES.

Washington, March 14.—About sixty German submarines were captured and destroyed between Jan. 1 and Feb. 15, according to reports reaching here, the first authoritative word of the entente success in coping with the undersea boats.

FOE PRINCE BILL HELD UP

Measure Aims to Deprive Enemy Royalty of British Titles.

London, March 14.—The house of lords passed the second reading of the bill to deprive enemy princes of British titles and dignities after the government had promised to refer the bill to a special committee for further consideration.

This promise was made as the outcome of differences between some of the peers who desired to shelve the bill on the ground that it was absurd to regard certain princes as traitors.

The Marquis of Lansdowne agreed that the bill was only intended to apply to the Duke of Albany, the Duke of Cumberland and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein, all of whom are related to the British royal family and who, he agreed, could not possibly be regarded as traitors.

VIEWS OF VON BERNSTORFF

Peace or War Depends on Actions of Submarines.

London, March 14.—In the course of an interview granted to the Copenhagen correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch, Count von Bernstorff, interrogated as to whether he thought there would be war between Germany and the United States, replied: "That depends on our U-boat warfare. If we sink an American ship we shall get war. If not, I suppose we can avoid it."

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THE WEATHER**Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours:**

March 13, maximum 34, minimum 18. Snowfall 4.5 inches. Precipitation .36 inches.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Not much change in temperature. Diminishing westerly winds.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

News of Parties, Visitors, Visits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc., gratefully received by the Dispatch. Both phones, Northwest 74, Automatic 274.

Judge A. R. Holman, of Pequot, was in the city.

For spring water phone 264. If Attorney B. J. Broady went to Little Falls on Wednesday to attend to legal matters.

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Mrs. F. M. McCabe, of St. Paul, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Quinn.

C. W. Hilton, expert Piano Tuner, phone evenings 692-M-2. 2211f

C. T. Watson, mining engineer, returned this afternoon from a business trip to Minneapolis.

Mrs. E. W. Paine and baby left this noon for a two months visit in Seattle, Washington.

Nettleton loans money on homes. 2061fd-71fw

Rev. M. L. Hostager went to Duluth this afternoon where he will sing at a church concert.

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H. A. Rahier, traveling auditor of the Minnesota & International, was at International Falls on business.

See Nettleton right now, for houses lots, lands, loans, insurance. 23815

The Bethlehem Lutheran Men's society will meet Thursday evening at the home of Ole Stenn, of Oak street, on the occasion of his birthday.

You cannot decide blindly, if you wish to decide wisely. Learn about real estate before buying. Read and investigate the ads in the Dispatch.

Depend upon it. The real estate man who never advertises has a small list of offerings and is not bending all his energies to give his clients his best service.

Chris Erickson, of the Eagle Provision Co. has returned from a business trip to St. Paul and Minneapolis and says the snowfall was very heavy there, especially at Lake Minnetonka.

There's a good position for you but it's not "waiting" for you. You must advertise for it—or somebody else will secure it. Use the Dispatch want ad column as your medium.

The water and light department is

BEST THEATRE

TODAY—Bryant Washburn in "Skinner's Dress Suit"

TOMORROW—Emily Stevens in "The Wager"

EMPRESS THEATRE

TODAY—Myrtle Gonzales in "The Secret of the Swamps"

TOMORROW—The Lass of the Lumberlands—Helen Holmes, in "THE FIGHT AT CAMP ONE"

busily engaged in thawing out hydrants. Some freeze up again in the course of a few hours, others stay thawed three days and then freeze again.

The W. T. Larrabee restaurant is expected to be opened to the public on Saturday. It is located in the building formerly occupied by the Star Grocery, and has been entirely remodeled to suit the modern requirements of an up to date restaurant.

G. E. and S. E. Parks of Pillager, Minn., are in the city exploiting an attachment for journal boxes of railroad cars. The contrivance is a new patent and it is said to have been given a thorough test and found to be all claimed for it.—Bemidji Pioneer.

For Sale—Fifty nice live lots near Lowell school, N. E. Brainerd, \$75.00 to \$100 each. Call early and get choice. J. R. Smith, Sleeper block. 2391f

The funeral of Paul C. Olson took place Tuesday afternoon from the Bethlehem Lutheran church, Rev. M. L. Hostager officiating. It was largely attended. The young man was killed in a switching accident in the yards of the Chicago Great Western in St. Paul.

Headquarters for Kimball Planes, wholesale and retail, Kimball Piano Branch, 717 Laurel street. 2331f

Strangers are daily arriving in Brainerd, men who have secured jobs, who want rooms, flats, houses. Are you doing the proper thing and advertising such rooms, flats or houses in the Dispatch want ad column? No man or woman has time nowadays to walk about a strange city reading window placards. They all scan the want ad department of the Dispatch as soon as they arrive here.

I will sell large 50 foot lots from \$50 to \$100 tributary to Lowell school, mill or shops. Will help you to get chickens, cow and buildings if needed. Choose from 100 lots in different parts of city. Terms on houses or lots that you can afford. Above offer good this month. Nettleton. 23914-w1

J. Warren Welch left Tuesday for Macon, Missouri, where he has purchased a large farm on which he will make his future home. Mrs. Welch and daughter Elma will leave in a few weeks to join him. Their daughter, Miss Vera Welch, will remain here to complete her year's work in the Brainerd high school. Mr. and Mrs. Welch and family have made their home in Brainerd the past twenty years and their many friends here regret to see them leave, but wish them every success in their new home.

NO CAUSE FOR COMPLAINT

Canadian Officials Deny Misusing von Bernstorff.

Ottawa, Ont., March 14.—Denial was registered officially by Canada that there was any basis for protest by Count Bernstorff for the examination of the liner on which he traveled to Europe.

The ambassador to the United States, now in Norway, has threatened to protest to the United States.

GERMAN FLYER IS KILLED

Hans Vollmoeller, Brother of Poet, Dies in Trial Trip.

Berlin, March 14.—Hans Vollmoeller, a prominent German aviator, has been killed by a fall during a trial flight.

He won several prizes in airplane contests and gained prominence in 1910 by constructing a new type of airplane. He was a brother of Dr. Karl Vollmoeller, the poet.

M'CORMICK DENIES RUMOR

Democratic Chairman Says He Will Not Go to Tokio.

Harrisburg, Pa., March 14.—Vance C. McCormick, Democratic national committee chairman, denied a rumor that he would be named to succeed the late Ambassador Guthrie at Tokio. "There is nothing to it," he said.

Laying Hens.

In selecting laying hens look for a full, well developed breast and crop, showing a large pocket in which to carry the food supply. This indicates strength and vigor and ability to consume sufficient food to produce eggs.

Rachel.

The Jewish nation was at one time a nation of shepherds, and it was probably from this reason that the Hebrew word for a mother sheep, or ewe, was given to some of the Jewish women, Rachel meaning "a ewe."

The difference in time between Washington and Paris is 5 hours, 17 minutes and 36.653 seconds, according to the United States naval observatory.

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PRESIDENT WATCHES EVENTS

Personal Representative of the Chief Executive Will Inform Railway Officials and Trainmen That Tieup of Transportation Facilities Will Not Be Tolerated.

Washington, March 14.—A personal representative of the president will inform trainmen and railroad officials at their conference on the eight-hour day controversy in New York Thursday that drastic action will be taken by the government if a strike is called, it was intimated in official circles.

Despite his illness, which has kept him under the constant care of his physician, the president has been in close touch with developments in the controversy between the four brotherhoods and railroads.

He is determined that the nation, facing the gravest international crisis in its history, shall not have its transportation facilities paralyzed by a strike.

It will be made plain to the conference at New York that, in addition to the merits of the case being now pending before the supreme court of the United States, it is the intention of the president to have the legislation affecting the men, which failed at the recent session, promptly reintroduced when congress meets on April 16 and pressed to a conclusion.

May Take Drastic Steps.

The president likewise will convey to both sides of the controversy that the international situation is now such as to make it incumbent on him to adopt the most drastic steps to the extent of commandeering the railroads and their operatives.

Complete plans of the four railroad brotherhoods for a nationwide strike to be inaugurated Saturday evening, unless the railroads grant their eight-hour demands, were ratified here by local union leaders from Southeastern territory and by a similar conference of representatives of the South-west held at St. Louis.

The brotherhood heads will tell the railroad conference committee in New York that if an agreement is not reached this week for the establishment of an eight-hour basic day, with time and a half for overtime, strike orders already issued to local organizations will become effective. The demands are just what they were last fall when President Wilson averted a strike after the call was out by inducing congress to pass the Adamson law, which never has been put into effect, pending a decision on its constitutionality by the supreme court.

Odd Habit Among Rooks.

Among the odd habits of rooks is the way that members of the same rookery have of intermarrying generation after generation. The males always choose their wives from among their near neighbors, and if one should be so bold as to bring home to his rookery a bride from a distance the other rooks will invariably refuse to receive her and will force the pair to build some way off. In the neighborhood of big rookeries outlying nests of this kind may always be found.

Freedom of Will.

Professor—The result of our investigations for the past half hour is that man has freedom of will. I regret that I cannot continue the subject today, as I have to go shopping with my wife.—Fliegende Blaetter.

THEY WANT STRAIGHT EYES.

55 Natives in Japan Are Resorting to the Surgeon's Knife.

You think that it is impossible to mistake a Japanese on account of his almond eyes, peculiar to the yellow race. Do not be so sure, for it is quite likely you are wrong.

Of recent years a curious fad has taken root in Japan. This is nothing more or less than the alteration, by the surgeon's knife, of the shape of the eye, so that in future the Japanese will not be distinguished as one of the "almond eyed" races. The operation is said to be simple and quite painless.

The surgeon takes a scalpel in his right hand and, stretching the skin with the forefinger of his left hand, makes an incision on the outer point of the eyelids in a straight line for the barest part of an inch. The lashes are then drawn into shape and held firmly by a piece of chemically prepared sticking plaster.

The wound needs no further dressing, and the subject of the emperor of the Flowery Kingdom goes on about his business as if nothing had happened. In a few days it is entirely healed, when the surgeon is visited and requested to remove the plaster, and with this plaster comes the fee.

The Japanese say that their eastern, not to say Mongolian, appearance is a disadvantage to them in their commercial and other relations with western races. Whether this is so or not, it is a positive fact that some of the highest officials in chrysanthemum land have fallen in with the popular fancy, and European medical men out there are making lots of money by the use of their scalpels. One authority states that the mikado himself has had his eyes "westernized."

RIGHT LIVING.

In the firm control of our thoughts lies the secret of the most wonderful possession of which we can boast—character. It is as much a matter of habit as of will, this being always honorable, truthful, just. Having formed our principles of right living, conscience invariably points to a whole hearted loyalty to them. And when base motives try to sway the mind, why, here is just where your will power may profit by exercise.

It is a wonder that there are not more female detectives. If a woman can keep track of the styles she ought to be able to keep track of anything else.—Exchange.

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Brainerd, Minnesota
Statement of the condition of the Citizens State Bank of Brainerd, at close of business on March 13, 1917.

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Overdrafts	227.00
U. S. Bonds	12,600.00
State and Local Bonds	2,200.00
Furniture and Fixtures	12,500.00
U. S. Gov. Bonds	82,045.25
Due from Banks	13,242.14
Cash on Hand	95,287.22
Total Cash Assets	1,191,787.88
Checks and Cash Items	3,703.97
Total	1,195,491.85
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$35,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided Profits, Net	5,000.00
Deposits subject to check	\$140,858.72
Cashier's checks	3,612.25
Due to banks	1,917.78
Total immediate liabilities	149,388.75
Savings deposits	25,282.48
Time certificates	209,187.88
Total Deposits	383,859.11
Total	\$1,579,350.96

Amount of Reserve on hand \$1,579,350.96
Amount of Reserve required by law \$25,000.00
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F. H. SIMPSON, Vice President
G. F. O'BRIEN, Cashier
Correct Attest: A. G. THOMMALD,
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If you want to see the glow of healthy bloom in your cheeks, to see your skin get clearer and clearer, you are told to drink every morning upon arising, a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, which is a harmless means of washing the waste material and toxins from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary tract, before putting more food into the stomach.

Men and women with sallow skins, liver spots, pimples or pallid complexion, also those who wake up with a coated tongue, bad taste, nasty breath, others who are bothered with headaches, bilious spells, acid stomach or constipation should begin this phosphate hot water drinking and are assured of very pronounced results in one or two weeks.

A quarter pound of limestone phosphate costs very little at the drug store but is sufficient to demonstrate that just as soap and hot water cleanses purifies and freshens the skin on the outside, so hot water and limestone phosphate act on the inside organs. We must always consider that internal sanitation is vastly more important than outside cleanliness, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do.

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Applies to saving a little money just as much as it does to watching out for an on coming automobile and passenger trains. You can practice safety first by starting a small weekly SAVINGS ACCOUNT. Start it TODAY.

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WOMAN'S REALM

Mrs. Guernsey Seeks Presidency of the D. A. R.

(By United Press)
Washington, March 14.—A battle royal for the presidency of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be fought by Mrs. George Tacher Guernsey of Independence, Kansas, at the national convention of the D. A. R. here the latter part of next month.

Mrs. Guernsey amazed the national organization by the thoroughness with which she came into the race prepared. It was known she sought the place, but it was not known she had secretly secured the backing of 43 states on the basis of her outlined policy.

Mrs. George G. Squires of St. Paul, Mrs. John Miller Horton of Buffalo, and Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois are Mrs. Guernsey's opponents for the presidency, which now is filled by Mrs. William Cuming Story of New York. Mrs. Story is said to favor Mrs. Lewis to succeed her.

STATE EXAMINATIONS

Program for March 22 and 23 at the High School

The program for state examinations, March 22 and 23, at the high school, follows:

Thursday, March 22—8:30 A. M., spelling; 9:00 A. M., 8th grade grammar; 2:00 P. M., American history.

Friday, March 23—9:00 A. M., arithmetic; 2:00 P. M., geography.

Clover Leaf Circle

The Clover Leaf Circle of the First Congregational church will give a birthday party on Thursday evening in the church parlors. Each person is requested to bring one penny for each year of their age. The members of the club will present the following program:

PLAY 1.

("The Threatened Visit")
Aunt Dorothy.....Miss Geneva Brown
Leonora, her niece.....Irene MacPherson
Alice, her friend.....Ethel Thomas
(Reading, Dorothy Carmichael)

PLAY 2

("The Book Lovers")
Mary.....Ruth Robinson
Lola, her sister.....Florence Weaver
Susan, her friend.....Leona Holst
All members and friends are invited. The meeting will start at 7:30 o'clock.

Her 16th Birthday

Miss Elsie Schwartzkopf was surprised by sixteen of her friends on her sixteenth birthday. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed, games and music contributing to the evening's entertainment and a luncheon being served. Miss Schwartzkopf was presented with a fountain pen.

Methodist Ladies' Aid Society

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church will be entertained on Thursday afternoon by Mesdames Henry Clark, Fred Bispham and H. Peterson in the social rooms of the church. Visitors are cordially invited.

Cut This Out—It is Worth Money

Don miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., 2825 Sheffield, Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds, croup; Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

DENIES ENGAGEMENT

Miss Alma Shupe, in Letter, States She Does Not Intend to Marry Edward Heintze

In a letter received, Miss Alma Shupe states: "The report in last week's paper, Thursday if I am not mistaken, read in this manner of my being engaged to Edward Heintze. My name is Alma Shupe. If you see possible, please fix it in some manner in the paper that I do not intend to marry a lumberjack. The report that was issued is a mistake.

"He is not of my type as he is too 'elemented' for my standing, as far as standards are concerned. The news was quite newsworthy to me."

WONDERFUL SUCCESS

Red and White Log Cabin Quilt Made by the Sewing Class Realizes Fifty Dollars

The red and white log cabin quilt made by the Sewing Class of St. Francis school realized in round numbers the sum of fifty dollars.

We wish to thank those that have so willingly helped us to make this a success. Mrs. Patterson, of East Brainerd, is the happy possessor.

GERALDINE KIEBLER.

IRONTON.

Edward R. Syverson Regaining His Health and Strength at West Baden, Ind.

Ironton, Minn., March 14.—Mrs. Guy Bye was a visitor in Brainerd the past week.

William Seafeld was at Brainerd on business matters.

The ticket office at the depot has been enlarged.

Mr. and Mrs. Mulvaney entertained the Bridge club Friday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Mackay.

John H. Hill is enjoying a vacation in San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Goff and children are visiting relatives in Staples.

Capt. A. R. McQuire, of the Sultana mine, has resigned his position as superintendent.

Rochon's orchestra played at the "hard times" party given at Workers hall. Thirty couples were present.

Mr. and Mrs. D. O'Brien are visiting friends in Wilson, Wis.

A. W. Nelson, of Superior, Wis., is employed in the store of his brother-in-law, Al Berg.

Edward Syverson, former representative, is at West Baden, Indiana, gaining renewed health and strength at the springs. The West Baden Springs hotel is an institution patronized by an increasing number of Ironton people, John Hill being the pioneer to discover the merits of the springs.

ATTENTION W. R. C.

All members are requested to be present at our regular meeting Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp at Elks hall. Business of importance will be transacted.

By order of the President,
BERTHA THEVIOT.

Mexico City Again Capital.

Queretaro, March 14.—General Carranza has issued a decree re-establishing the capital of the republic in Mexico City. It is estimated that General Carranza received 1,500,000 votes throughout the republic in the election for the presidency last Sunday.

"Those serving prison sentences," says the Columbia State, "are about the only persons whose financial condition is not affected by the high cost of living."

MANGANESE FOR HEADQUARTERS

Franklin W. Merritt, of Minneapolis, Plans to Make Manganese Village Mining Headquarters

12 PIECE BAND FOR VILLAGE

Movie Theatre to Open April 1—Surveyors Busy on a Soo Line Extension Planned

Managaneese, Minn., March 14.—Edward Gutzloff, manager of the Lake-side Lumber Co., is in Iowa this week. Mrs. Gutzloff is visiting her mother in Ironton during his absence.

Franklin W. Merritt, of Minneapolis, was transacting business in town last week. Mr. Merritt is laying plans to make Manganese headquarters for his extensive mining interests in this part of the country.

The dance given by the Grande-Grant Realty Co., was well attended Saturday night. The Crosby orchestra furnished excellent music and all report an enjoyable evening.

Miss Dorothy Raymond, of Minneapolis, visited with her sister, Evelyn, at the Leanna hotel the latter part of last week. Miss Raymond departed for Minneapolis Monday morning.

George Mark, master mechanic at the Merritt No. 2 mine, is overhauling his Ford.

Surveyors have practically completed the Soo line survey from Manganese toward Riverton and Ironton. L. Laury of the Algoma mine, plans to organize a twelve piece band at Manganese soon.

Walter Laurel was a Brainerd visitor last week.

L. D. Gadway, of Crosby, was in Manganese a few days ago making arrangements to open a movie theatre about April 1.

Mrs. Leanna and the Misses Raymond motored to Crosby Sunday evening.

Mrs. Markus Grande and Mrs. Peterson were Crosby visitors Friday.

"SKINNER'S DRESS SUIT"

Washburn Lead in Photo Play in Saturday Evening Post at the Best Theatre Tonight

With the release date a week off exhibitors already have started a rush for bookings on Bryant Washburn's next feature, "Skinner's Dress Suit," through Kleine-Edison-Selig-Essanay service.

This production, without exaggeration, is one of the best in every detail which has ever been put out by Essanay. The story was written by Henry Irving Dodge, the popular novelist and attracted nation-wide favor when published in the Saturday Evening Post, thereby providing excellent advance-advertising for the picture.

Mr. Washburn, the star, needs no introduction to photoplay patrons as a provider of good entertainment. He is a proven box office power. In scenic effects—richly dressed settings, and beautiful exteriors—thousands of dollars have been spent to make the production perfect. "Skinner's Dress Suit," will be released through the Kleine-Edison-Selig-Essanay Service February 5. It has a screen time of 1 hour, 10 minutes.

A brief outline of the story follows: Skinner is afraid that if he asks for a raise in salary at the commercial house where he is employed he will be discharged. Mrs. Skinner scoffs at his fears, however, and finally induces her timid spouse to demand an increase.

Skinner gets the proverbial "cold feet" at the last moment, though and is forced to fib to his wife and tell her he demanded and received the raise to hide his timidity. He takes the necessary difference out of his personal bank account.

Mrs. Skinner immediately launches into a campaign of spending which nearly drives her husband to bankruptcy. She purchases some pretty party gowns and makes Skinner buy a dress suit. Accidentally, because he is dressed up and looks good, Skinner falls in with some wealthy people. He is thus enabled to put over a big deal for his firm. On the strength of this he demands and receives not only a raise in salary but a partnership in the firm.

This picture is clean, wholesome and brimming full of humor. It is bound to please photoplay patrons and therefore to prove a box-office success. Hazel Daly appears in support of Mr. Washburn. Harry Beaumont directed the picture.

Shown at the Best theatre tonight.

Why They Are Cleaner.

"Women's minds are much cleaner than men's," said a woman to her husband. "They ought to be," replied her husband. "They change them so much oftener."

CUYUNA

Mrs. G. H. Sylow Entertained Swedish Lutheran Aid Society on Wednesday Afternoon

Cuyuna, Minn., March 13.—The Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid society met with Mrs. G. H. Sylow at her home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Flannery are the parents of a baby boy.

Stanley Jorgenson, of Minneapolis, is a new bookkeeper at the First State bank of Cuyuna.

The little girl of Mrs. Henry Stark was very sick.

Mrs. Margaret Peterson is visiting her son Ernest Peterson, in the northern part of the state.

Carl Berg, of Mose Lake, was a guest at the home of Edward Olson.

FIRESIDE CLUB TO GIVE PLAYS

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran Church Society to Appear at Public Library

COMEDY "YOUNG DR. DEVINE"

"The Sweet Family" to be Presented, Two One-Act Plays

On Friday evening, March 16, in the basement of the public library, the Fireside club of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will present the two one-act plays, "Young Dr. Devine" and "The Sweet Family."

The plays differ widely in every respect, and together with a piano duet and vocal solo, will offer a most interesting program.

"Young Dr. Devine" portrays the happenings of a rainy Saturday at a young ladies seminary, but before long news is brought which causes the young ladies to entirely forget the dullness of the day.

"The Sweet Family" tells of a mother touring the country with her seven daughters each one gifted with some individual accomplishment, and all together affording, as Ma Sweet says, a very high class evening's entertainment.

The admission will be fifteen cents.

WOMEN WILL SPEND MONEY

Have \$500,000 to Advocate Equal Suffrage in New York.

Albany, N. Y., March 14.—The question of woman suffrage, which was defeated in New York state by a majority of 188,313 in 1915, will be submitted again to the voters at the state election next November.

The last step in the preliminary legislative procedure was taken when the senate by a vote of 39 to 7 adopted a resolution providing for a referendum.

The suffragists will spend, it is announced, approximately \$500,000 in a campaign of education before election day.

NET GAIN OF TWO TOWNS

Minnesota Local Option Elections Favor Prohibitionists.

St. Paul, March 14.—Prohibition advocates scored a net gain of two towns in Minnesota in local option elections, returns available show.

Three towns—Sherburne, Elgin and Randolph—voted to oust their six saloons, while Foley, after a year's experience as a saloon town, decided to re-enter the wet ranks.

The status of the license question remains unchanged in eighteen other towns voting, ten reaffirming their adherence to the dry column and eight voting to continue wet.

STRANGE EPIDEMIC RAGING

Four Deaths and Scores Ill at Galeville, Wis.

Galeville, Wis., March 14.—Four persons have died within the past few days and scores are ill, some critically, victims of a strange epidemic, which has swept Galeville.

The nature of the malady has baffled some of the leading medical authorities of Southern Minnesota and Wisconsin.

City officials appealed to the Mayo clinic at Rochester to send physicians to make a diagnosis of the disease.

Freighter Runs Blockade.

New York, March 14.—The American freight steamship Navajo has arrived here after running the German submarine blockade. The Navajo left Liverpool on Feb. 19 in ballast.

When a camel is pressed beyond its speed and is spent it kneels down, and nothing in the world will make it budge again. The camel remains where it kneels, and where the creature kneels it dies.

A Seventy-Year Old Couple

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Carpenter, Harrisburg, Pa., suffered from kidney trouble but have been entirely cured by Foley Kidney Pills. He says: "Altho we are both in the seventies, we are as vigorous as we were thirty years ago." Foley Kidney Pills stop sleep disturbing bladder weakness, backache, rheumatism. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

HIGH COST OF LIVING

Retail Price of Foodstuffs Advance 19 Per Cent in Year as Shown by the Government

EGG AND POTATO MARKET WEAK

Indictment of Those Responsible for the Outrageous Rise Predicted by Administration

Eggs reached the lowest price in months today when they were sold on the wholesale market for 28 cents a dozen, with prospects for a further decline to less than 25 cents before Saturday. Farmers are shipping heavily because of the milder weather, produce men said. Potatoes reached \$2.15 a bushel on the wholesale market today when increased shipments were received from northwest points. Onions dropped to \$8.50 a hundred pounds from \$12 on receipt in New York of 170,000 crates from Spain.

Washington, March 13.—Retail food prices in the United States advanced 19 per cent in the year ending with Jan. 15, as shown in statistics prepared by the bureau of labor. The increase was greater than for the three years previous combined. The four years gain was 30 per cent.

Every food staple except coffee and tea advanced during the year. Onions and potatoes led with increases of more than 50 per cent. Some of the per cent advances were:

Sirloin steak, 7; round steak, 8; rib roast, 8; chuck roast, 7; pork chops, 10; bacon, 8; ham, 4; lard, 22; hens, 1½; salmon, 7; eggs, 32; butter, 18; cheese, 27; milk, 11; bread, 13; flour, 38; cornmeal, 23; potatoes, 57; onions, 58; beans, 39; prunes, 5; raisins, 16; sugar, 16.

Indictments of those responsible for the high cost of living are predicted by the administration as a result of a conference between officials representing the department of justice in its nation-wide investigation of this question, Attorney General Gregory and Assistant Attorney General G. Carroll Todd, in charge of anti-trust prosecutions.

While none of the officials in Washington would discuss what steps are to be taken, it is believed that the next indictments will be sought in Chicago, or some western city.

The department of agriculture has asked that it be given greater supervision over the packing house industry in order that full and reliable data bearing upon this phase of the food situation might be secured.

It was learned that evidence in connection with the high cost of living is also being presented to the federal grand jury at Boston, but so far no indictments have been returned by that body.

A Woman's Experience With Grippe.

When a cough or cold hangs on, and you have aches and pains that are hard to define, it is likely that grippe is taking hold of your system. Mrs. J. A. Rodgers, Switzer, S. C., says: "I am susceptible to colds, often ending in grippe. In this case I have found Foley's Honey and Tar to prevent doctor bills." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

You Have the Tools of Success

Learn How to Use Them

THE MAJORITY OF MEN AND WOMEN today are shut off from success as securely as by a brick wall.

THEY MAY BE HONEST, have an average amount of intelligence, work twelve hours a day and still be poorly paid in very menial positions.

THE REASON IS that they have no definite knowledge, don't know how to do any one thing well. In this age of keen competition only those with the proper qualifications attain success. They qualify for it by special training along that line.

AND WISE YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN are preparing themselves for a business career by gaining a practical knowledge of Business Rules in a Business School.

THIS INSTITUTION SPECIALIZES in training young people for such a vocation. We not only prepare them to hold responsible positions and earn good salaries, but we use our influence to assist them in obtaining such positions after graduation.

Come in and let's talk the matter over. We can help you up, either in our Day or Evening Classes. Don't put it off. We have a very attractive offer to make all who enroll at once.

The Brainerd Business College

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The value of any piece of rubber depends altogether on its quality. It all looks good, but it does not all wear good. Our rubber, always looks good and wears well also because we only stock the best in the drug trade.

THAT you need rubber goods at times is well understood. You may buy rubber goods here of a higher quality at a lower price should be distinctly understood.

WILL you trust the matter of rubber selection to us? Will you take our word for the quality of any piece of rubber we sell you? We guarantee whatever we offer you.

WEAR our hot water bottles out if you can but they will outlast your best expectations. They are made to wear and we guarantee them to wear.

LAMMON'S PHARMACY

We give S. & H. Green Trading Stamps.

"THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE"

CARPENTER TOOLS

We have received a large share of our Spring stock of carpenter tools, come in and look them over, we will gladly show you our full line.

Our tools are of the highest grade fully guaranteed makes, such as Diston saws, Maydole hammers, Bailey planes, Irwin and Ford bits, Ohio chisels, Ulster cutlery, Marshall & Brown trowels and many other high grade well known tools.

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THE UNSELFISH.

Even in ordinary life the unselfish people are the happiest—those who work to make others happy and who forget themselves. The dissatisfied people are those who are seeking happiness for themselves.—Mrs. Beasant.

LOOK TO ETERNITY.

It were good for man to have some anchorage deeper than the treacherous quicksands of this world, for these drift to and fro in such a way as to baffle all conjecture.—Carlyle.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Brest Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system.

Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Oil

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 25 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled. This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

TURCOTTE BROTHERS

Fruits and Vegetables a Specialty,
Groceries, Flour and Feed

318-320 S. 6th St. Phone 254

Felt Like 90, Now Like 21

Like a weak link in a chain, a weak organ enfeebls the whole body. Weak kidneys lower vitality. A. W. Morgan, Angola, La., writes: "I suffered with pains in the back. I am 43 years old, but I felt like a man of 90. Since I took Foley Kidney Pills I feel like I did when I was 21." 50c and \$1.00 sizes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Advt. mwf

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BRYANT WASHBURN

—IN—

"Skinner's Dress Suit"

From Henry Irving Dodge's intensely human and highly amusing story in The Saturday Evening Post.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1917



Those in charge of road work will have something to look after this spring as the break-up will work much damage if proper precautions are not taken. An excessive amount of water will form from the melting snow and attention to this will save much expense in repairing and putting roads in shape afterward. Streams of water in ruts carry away gravel and often times ruin a portion of a well made road. Channels should be made leading from culverts that thaw out slowly and from cuts filled with ice and snow. This is the time to begin thinking of protection to the roads that have already been built and on which thousands of dollars have been spent.

The beauties of Minnesota along the "Scenic Highway" will soon be laid before the public in book form so that tourists and others may get a correct idea of what we have to offer as an attraction in this section of the country. Brainerd is on the route and Crow Wing county should be exploited in this book to its fullest, and local people will be called upon in the near future for data regarding the lake regions and other information. N. M. Koll of Cass Lake should be communicated with in order that "we get what's coming to us" in the publicity line.

A cargo of Swift & Co's. products valued at a million dollars went to the bottom when the Algonquin was torpedoed Monday while on her way to London with the output from this country.

The bottom is falling out of the wholesale egg market but it is not likely to go to smash entirely. There are many who have been eggless for months who will like to get in on the break-up.

The courts say Harry Thaw is insane, the public have always held that opinion.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for D. A. Peterson for which the sum of 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

FOR ASSESSOR

Having been requested by a number of friends to be in the field for City Assessor at this coming spring election, I hereby announce that I will be a candidate for such office and respectfully solicit your support. 234H D. A. PETERSON.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT

Inserted by and for M. E. Hitch, for which 5 cents per line each issue is to be paid.

FOR ASSESSOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for City Assessor, subject to your consideration, at the election of April 3d. I have been engaged in the mercantile business the past seven years and in that time have made several real estate transactions, as well as several others in other lines and feel that I am competent to judge values, which I will endeavor to do, if elected, to the best of my ability, with fairness to everyone. Your vote is earnestly solicited. 238-13 M. E. HITCH.

Relief Steamer Sunk.

London, March 14.—The Norwegian steamer Lara Postenes, bound from America for Rotterdam with grain for the American relief commission, has been sunk without warning outside the blockade zone, according to the Norwegian Mercantile Shipping Gazette.

Cattle Lying for Lack of Food.

Arlee, Mont., March 14.—Heavy snow in the Jocko valley is causing many losses of cattle. Ranchers are without hay. The rule of past years has been that there was plenty of feed on the hills for stock, but the deep snow this year has buried the grass.

Village and Twp. Elections

Village and township elections were held in Crow Wing county on Tuesday, March 13. Snow blocked roads have caused delay in receiving returns at the county auditor's office. Here are some of the elections:

OAK LAWN

Trustee—Tom Peterson.
Clerk—Ed Nelson.
Treasurer—August Nelson.
Assessor—Joseph Vanek.
Justices of the Peace—Frank Patrick and John Holmgren.
Constable—Will Hotelling.

It was reported to be the north side of the township vs the south side, with the north side winners. The voters instructed their representatives to vote against senate file No. 392, the Elwell road law. They also went on record as opposing the state going into the insurance business. The poor fund was voted \$400, the same amount as last year. The road and bridge fund was voted \$3,000. Last year the amount was \$2,800, considerable being spent on road machinery.

CROW WING

Supervisor—Theodore Hart.
Clerk—H. A. Peterson.
Treasurer—Adolph Anderson.
Justices of the Peace—T. E. Dahljelm and Sam Maddock.
Constable—Martin Berggreen.
The road and bridge fund was voted \$1400 and the general fund \$600.

ST. MATHIAS

Supervisor—Henry Longevin.
Clerk—Eugene Velllette.
Treasurer—W. H. Tuttle.
Assessor—A. F. Krause.
Justice of the Peace—Earl Flansburg.

Constables—Delore DeRosier and Napoleon LaFlamme.

Road and bridge fund was voted \$2400. To the general revenue fund \$200. None was voted the poor fund as \$225 balance is on hand.

PLATE LAKE

Supervisor—John Milnar.
Clerk—A. T. Stanley.
Treasurer—Henry Grand.
Assessor—John Wunderlich.
Justice of the Peace—Herman Fleischer.

Constables—Guy Gorton and Walter Milnar.

KLONDIKE

Supervisor—H. A. Arneson.
Clerk—Primus D. Kretler.
Treasurer—Victor Jacobson.
Assessor—Mike McGambridge.
Justices of the Peace—W. H. Kruse and Delore Rochon.

Constables—Gus Gunderson and Isaac Rochon.

Revenue fund, \$1200; road and bridge, \$7,500; poor, \$1,000; cemetery, \$300.

Bauer Again President

Crosby, Minn., March 13.—Louis Bauer was re-elected president today. He had no opposition. The vote was the highest ever recorded, due chiefly to the worst blizzard that Crosby has experienced in the last three years. Officers elected were: Trustees, Bruno Almquist, L. O. Berg and B. Lake; clerk, H. L. Nicholson; treasurer, H. H. Garceau; justices of the peace, Richard Johnson and Louis Lorenson; municipal judge, G. J. Severance, and constable, John Langren.

Village officials of Riverton and Manganese were re-elected.

Tame at Aitkin

Aitkin, Minn., March 13.—Village officials, encountering no opposition, were re-elected today as follows: President, Peter Larson; trustees, William A. Tully, Fred R. Heft and Al Zorber; recorder, Thomas R. Foley Jr.; treasurer, Frank R. Erickson; assessor, W. B. Gwathmey; justices, W. H. Harrison and J. C. Hessian.

Record-Breaking Vote

Ironton, March 13.—Despite a blizzard that raged up and down the Cuyuna range today and brought traffic to a standstill in this village the heaviest vote in the history of Ironton was polled in the municipal election in which the fight centered around the fight for trustees, with seven candidates. The total vote of 255 was 60 ballots heavier than the total vote cast in the presidential election last fall. The results were: G. P. Long, president; Phil Ellingson, A. H. Proctor, P. P. Mulvaney, trustees; E. R. Burns, clerk; A. P. Roemer, treasurer; Carl Dandrea, assessor.

Hot Fight at Deerwood

Deerwood, March 13.—Municipal election here today was featured by the fact that no candidates except constable filed for office and names of candidates were written on the ballots. When the votes were counted seven contests appeared for president, nine for trustees, four for treasurer, and four for clerk. The results were as follows: C. W. Potts, president; Antone Tor-

geson, N. Moore, Miron Hillyer, trustees; Julius Hage, clerk; G. A. Oberg, treasurer; P. L. Freeman, assessor; William Lamey, justice of peace, and F. E. Cox, constable.

Stearns is President

Riverton, March 13.—Municipal election here today resulted as follows: J. W. Stearns, president; L. L. Stark, J. H. Herbst, trustees; H. A. Arneson, treasurer, and William Barron, clerk.

Petraborg is President

Cuyuna, March 13.—Municipal officers for the coming year were elected here today as follows: John Petrabor, president; Oscar Carlson, Frank Jacob, M. A. Johnson, trustees; Oscar Peterson, clerk; R. G. Harte, treasurer, and Bert Zucca, assessor.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING

This Medium Praised by Col. Hartley, Recent Candidate for Governor

OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

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Col. Roland H. Hartley, of Everett, Wash., is well known in Brainerd and has relations here.

As a recent candidate for governor he ran as a comparatively unknown man against a field of strong opponents.

A few days before election his friends used some newspaper advertising to present Col. Hartley's cause to the people. He came very close to being nominated. Now Col. Hartley says:

"If my friends had eliminated all the miscellaneous literature, always a costly and generally a wasteful feature of a political campaign, and had put that money into the newspapers instead, I would have been the republican nominee."

Experience speaks the same way whenever it has used newspaper advertising in an adequate way to promote a legitimate object.

OPPOSITION TO MANN DEVELOPS

Republicans May Back Lenroot for Speaker.

AROUSES SOME RESENTMENT

Statement by Illinois Man That He Opposes Any Trades or Inducements to Organize House for Republicans Causes Outspoken Criticism.

Washington, March 14.—There is a well organized move on foot among Republicans in the house to oppose the candidacy of Representative James R. Mann of Illinois for speaker of the next house.

If the scheme, which now admittedly is in a somewhat nebulous stage, progresses as rapidly in the next forty-eight hours as it has in the past ten hours, an announcement is expected that Representative Irving L. Lenroot of Wisconsin will be advanced as the opposition candidate to Mr. Mann.

The statement published in which Mann is quoted as being opposed to entering any trades or offering any inducement to independents to help organize the house for the Republicans, and in which he suggested that a bipartisan organization of the house was not an improbability, has aroused resentment.

His statement is taken to mean that he does not desire the Republicans to control the next house.

That idea does not meet with general approval of Republican members. They are opposed to the suggestion of a bipartisan organization and are clear that in expressing such sentiments Mr. Mann does not represent the real wishes of the Republican members.

They believe that if the Republicans are able to control the next house they should make an honest effort to do so. Critics of Mr. Mann say it is improper in adopting such a program than in advising one which would appeal to those who are suggesting bipartisan control.

Wood That Is Wasted.

There are more than 48,000 sawmills in the United States, and these output of waste in the form of sawdust, shavings, slabs and other wood refuse is estimated at 30,000,000 cords a year. This is equal to 4,500,000,000 cubic feet of waste, which is the capacity of a bin one-half mile high with a base covering a forty acre lot.

SCENIC HIGHWAY BEAUTIES TOLD

Book to be Published Telling of Lakes and Parks, Fishing and Hunting and Other

INTERESTING DATA FOR TOURIST

Brainerd on the Line Which Runs Thro Crow Wing County and will Occupy Prominent Place

Beauties of Minnesota's lakes and parks will be brought to the attention of eastern and southern tourists by booklets soon to be published by directors of the Minnesota Scenic Highway association.

Fifteen of the directors held a conference at The Saint Paul hotel and authorized M. N. Koll of Cass Lake, chairman of their publicity committee, to prepare a booklet of more than 100 pages describing points of interest along the more than 1200 miles covered by the highway and containing maps, pictures and other data calculated to interest travelers.

Towns on the highway are expected to contribute to the expense of preparing the book which will be \$2,500. The books will be distributed in states east and south.

Red, white and blue buttons bearing the name of the highway, to the number of 5,000, will be distributed, another publicity feature and guideposts of similar design will be used to blaze the trail.

The directors were informed that 100 additional miles of the trail in Cass county will be completed by May 1, and that Mills Lake, Sherburne and Crow Wing counties will spend \$150,000 in improving the trail this year, having obtained federal aid for one-half the amount.

"A 365-day road," is the slogan adopted by the association.

A socially run is to be made next August over the highway which passes through sixteen counties, making a loop of the entire northern part of the state. More than 100 cars already have been entered for the run, the directors say.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Feb. 27.

J. J. Barrett and wife to Merrill E. Gates und. 3-4 int. in e½ nw of 29-44-31 wd \$1.
Arthur Dougherty and wife to J. J. Barrett e½ nw 29-44-31 wd \$1.

Feb. 28

John August Erickson and wife to Charles E. Swanson lot 7 blk. 10 town of E. Brainerd wd \$1600.
Charles Hubbard, single, to Martin A. Johnson lot 22 blk. 8 Foley's 1st Addn. to Cuyuna wd \$1 etc.

Josephine Hill and husband to S. B. Hayden s½ of lot 9 and all of lot 10 blk. 2 East Side Addn. to Brd. wd \$300.

M. A. Johnson and wife to M. J. Johnson lot 22 blk. 8, Foley's 1st Addn. to Cuyuna wd \$1 etc.

Elizabeth Kohlhaas divorced, et al to Joseph Hebert lots 1 and 2 blk. 103 town of Brainerd wd \$850.

Fred M. Koop, single, to Ellen Dougherty lots 7, 8 and s 10 ft. lot 9 blk. 100 town Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

Lydia M. Tanzer and husband to Everett D. Evans lot 6 blk. 4 Schrader's Addn. to village Pequot wd \$50.

March 1—No Transfers.

March 2.

Frank N. Allord and wife to George A. Cain lot 8 blk. 26 Schwartz's Addn. to city Brainerd wd \$900.
Henry Tabert and wife to Anna J. Anderson lot 17, blk. 8 Ironton wd \$1 etc.

March 3—No Transfers.

March 5

Peter H. Berg and wife to Fred R. Burrell and William Anderson nw of sw of 14-43-28 wd \$225.

A. W. Garvey and wife to John L. Smith lots 1 to 6 inc. lots 13 to 24 inc. blk. 64 town Brainerd spl. wd \$1 etc.

Levor Johnson and wife to Nels Anderson part of nw of 14-136-29 wd \$125.

Mons Mahlum and wife to John S. Norion s½ of nw; e½ sw and w½ sw of 17-14-29 wd \$3000.

Northern Improvement Co. to Alex McLellan lot 9 blk. 3 Emily wd \$1 etc.

John L. Smith and wife to Marion E. Hitch lots 1 to 6 inc. lots 13 to 24 inc. blk. 64 town of Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

Almond A. Waite to A. W. Garvey und. ½ int. in lots 13 to 24 inc. lots 1 to 6 inc. blk. 64 town of Brainerd wd \$750.

1st State Bank, Ironton, to George Searish lot 3 blk. 6 West Park Addn. to Crosby wd Torrens.

Agnes I. Lamb unmarried and Edwin A. Lamb, Jr., and wife to Daniel P. Cashen lot 9 blk. 20 amended plat 1st Addn. to Ironton wd Torrens.

O'Brien Mercantile Co. to Beverly Co.

und. 4-24 int. in e½ nw of 13-45-30 wd Torrens.

March 6.

Rudolph J. Hartley and wife to O'Brien Mercantile Co. und. ½ int. in w 80 ft. of lots 13, 14, 15 blk. 71 1st Addn. to town of Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

Walter L. Russell and wife to William Graham e 20 ft. lot 22 and w½ lot 23 blk. 202 town of Brainerd wd \$550.

The Suburban Realty Co. to Duncan Realty Co. lot 3 of 20-44-31 and n½ ne of 29-44-31 spl. wd \$5600.

March 7.

Henry Blackwood and wife to Winona M. Kretter, lot 6 blk. 4 Crosby Beach wd \$1 etc.

March 8.

Frank W. Coppersmith and wife to Lillian E. Webb e 50 ft. lots 5 and 6 blk. 66 town of Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

Northern Improvement Co. to Alex McLellan lot 9 blk. 3 Emily wd \$1 etc.

Phyllander B. Nettleton and wife to Peter O. Dullum e 50 ft. of w½ of s 160 ft. blk. 1 Second Addn. to Brainerd wd \$175.

March 9

Ever Anderson and wife to Ture Hilmar Lindquist n½ ne; sw of ne; se of nw of 26-136-29 wd \$3000.

Selma G. Johnson unmarried, to Fred J. Johnson e½ nw of 2-44-29 wd \$1 etc.

Fred J. Johnson, single, to Isaac N. Smith same description wd \$1 etc.
A. A. White Townsite Co. to S. B. Hayden lot 10 blk. 2 East Side Addn. to Brainerd wd \$1.

Elizabeth Lamb and husband to Agnes I. Lamb lot 8 blk. 12 Amended plat 1st Addn. to Ironton wd Torrens.

Christine Larson and husband to Adelaide Treloar lots 4, 5, 6 and 7 blk. 17 Park Division to town Crosby wd Torrens.

March 10.

Michael Corcoran and wife to Maurice LeMoine lots 1, 2, 10, 11 and 12 blk. 1 West End Addn. to city Brainerd wd \$2000.

James New, widower, to F. G. Drifeling lot 4 blk. 21 Farrar & Forsyth 1st Addn. to city Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

March 12

E. E. Eder, unmarried, to Walter H. Eder all of blk. 7 ex. lots 5, 6, 7, 23, 24, 25, 48, 49 and 50 Brainerd Heights wd \$1500.

Annie L. Nevers, widow, to John Ernster lots 20 and 21, blk. 140 town Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

Rogers Brown Ore Co. to George H. Crosby lots 14, 15, 16 blk. 17 Park Division to town Crosby wd Torrens.

Nothing to Worry About.

"Oh, George," sobbed the bride after the ceremony, "I have a confession to make. I have always been afraid to tell you that I don't know how to cook."

"That'll be all right," replied George. "With the salary I'm making we'll never have anything to cook."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Musterole is recommended for bronchitis, croup, asthma, pleurisy, lumbago, neuralgia, sprains, bruises, stiff neck, headache and colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



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If the idea of owning a beautiful home appeals to you at all we know that one or more of our "Ye Planry" designs will look mighty good to you and the price will be so attractive too that you will decide to build one this year.

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Saturday Night, March 17th

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THE BIRD OF PARADISE

BY RICHARD WALTON TULLY, AUTHOR 'OMAR THE TENTMAKER'

HEAR THE HAWAIIAN SINGERS & DANCERS SEE THE WONDERFUL VOLCANO SCENE

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Playing To Capacity Audiences Everywhere
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AT THIS OFFICE

Do You Want Pretty Spring Hats at Less Than \$5.00



Something new? Yes, indeed! Another new feature at "Michaels." We have always specialized on hats, selling above \$5.00. We shall continue to do so but we have added a line to sell for less than \$5.00. Beautiful Spring Styles---the latest creations.

See Our Windows---Hats at \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$4.95

You should see this window. The hats will surprise you. The \$2.95 hats are easily worth \$4.50. The \$3.95 hats would readily bring \$5.50 and our \$4.95 hats should not sell for less than \$6.50. We are giving you values---big values. These will go on sale Thursday. Select from the lot this week. We will surprise you with the big values we give.

Be Sure to See Our New Spring Millinery

While we are adding more popular priced millinery we shall maintain our beautiful line of select millinery as usual. No matter the quality you'll find it with us. Come in and see our millinery section.

All Wool Dress Skirts \$2.95

Styles we recently purchased but by closing out a big lot we secured a low price. We expect that all these skirts will be closed out by Saturday. They are all wool, dark colors and fine styles. Sizes up to 26 waist.

Watch for our announcements for our new ready-to-wear department. House dresses, kimonos, aprons, petticoats and childrens dresses.

Wool Serge Dresses \$3.95

Another big value. Late styles made of wool serge---colorings navy blue. Another lot we purchased away below value. Just to stimulate early Spring business we place these on sale---they will all doubtless be gone by Saturday.

Some Very Unusual Values Bought Before the Prices Were Advanced

If you can use any of these values you will save money. We cannot purchase them again to offer them at these prices. You may have them this week. Now is the time to buy and save.

Corsets 59c

We are still offering you a splendid quality of corset with four-hose supporters for 59c.---IN BASEMENT.

Boys Hose 15c

Was a regular 25c quality. Very heavy---sizes 9, 9½ and 10 only. This hose, if bought today, would be 32½c---to close 15c---BASEMENT.

Waist Voile 15c

10 inch wide white waist voile, a very pretty quality. While this lasts at 15c a yard---IN BASEMENT.

Lace 1½c yard

Closing out a number of laces worth up to 5c at 1½c yard---BASEMENT.

Muslin Wear

Half price for combination suits, drawers and child's gowns---BASEMENT.

Toilet Paper 4 for 25c

Closing out our stock---this value is most unusual---While it lasts you may have this at 4 rolls for 25c---BASEMENT.

Soiled Outing Gowns

A number of travelers' samples outing gowns---slightly soiled---to close---the price one-third off---BASEMENT.

Outing Petticoats

A few we are closing out---29c each---BASEMENT.

3---Days to Save---3

Hosiery Advances

We will sell you any of the fine quality hosiery we have been selling at 25c for that price, until Saturday night. After that we must advance the prices as prices have advanced. Supply your future wants at 25c. MAIN FLOOR.

\$1.25 Waists at 89c

We have a goodly number of waists---the qualities we sell regularly at \$1.25. These are slightly mused---not damaged at all. To close these we offer them at 89c. IN BASEMENT.

10c Tea Spoons 5c

We offer, to close, a number dozens of Rogers Bros. plated tea spoons---quality made for a 10c special, 5c---IN BASEMENT.

Embroidery 3½c

Embroideries worth up to 10c and 12½c the yard, 3½c---BASEMENT.

25c Ecru Serim 17 1-2c

Just the wanted kind for making new curtains. Ecru only---a 25c quality---36 inches wide---17½c---MAIN FLOOR.

Remants

We have just put another lot of remants and short lengths upon the remnant tables in the BASEMENT.

Wrappers 98c

We still have a number of wrappers which have the best quality in them. They are far better than those made today, 98c---BASEMENT.

Hair Ribbons 25c

Despite the advances in the prices of ribbons we have a wide quality to sell at 25c---Good color assortment---MAIN FLOOR.

35c Handkerchiefs 25c

We have a counter of 25c and 35c handkerchiefs to offer you at 25c. For three days only---MAIN FLOOR.

Ginghams 10c

We fortunately have ginghams to sell at 10c---IN BASEMENT.

The Victrola and Victor Record Store

H. F. MICHAEL Co.

Where Graduate Corsetieres are at Your Service

HEAVY SNOW FALL IN COUNTY

March 13 and 14 Witnessed Heaviest Fall in County for the Whole Winter Season

DRIFTS 6 AND 7 FEET HIGH

Many County Roads are Blocked and Farmers are Building Snow Plows to Find Roads

March 13 and 14 witnessed the heaviest continuous snowfall of the winter in Crow Wing county. Four and a half inches fell in Brainerd and in the country drifts six and seven feet high prevail.

Farmers are busy building snow plows. The moisture will prove beneficial for crops and is therefore of incalculable value.

Trainmen had strenuous experiences on Northern Pacific and branch lines today. Conductor Day tried to make Little Falls with his train and stuck in a drift on the Morris branch line a few miles outside of Morris.

The Duluth noon train came in two and a half hours late, fighting drifts all the way to Brainerd. It arrived here hind end to, the observation car being next to the engine and the baggage car at the end of the train.

Louis Hohman has a new one regarding last night's snow storm. He claims he saw four lightning flashes about 10 o'clock.

The St. Paul section arrived in Brainerd at 3 o'clock this afternoon. The passenger train was composed of a fruit car, baggage car, smoker, day coach and a caboose. The engine was covered with snow and engineer and firemen were soaked to the skin.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

DIED AT STILLWATER

William August Biegling, Contractor and Builder, Father of Wm. Biegling of Brainerd

William August Biegling, contractor and builder, a resident of Stillwater for forty-five years, died very suddenly at his home Sunday evening, aged 71 years.

Surviving are his wife, his sons E. H., O. A., Alfred and Paul of Stillwater, and William, Jr., of Brainerd; the daughters, Emma, Olga and Mrs. Al Kempf, of Stillwater. There are also four grandchildren.

GROCERY FIRM HAS DISSOLVED

Bredenberg & Erickson, a grocery firm doing business for twenty years in Southeast Brainerd, has dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Erickson retiring and K. S. Bredenberg continuing the business at the old location, 1302 East Oak street.

Mr. Erickson has made no plans for the future, and will continue his residence in Brainerd.

The decision and opinion of Judge W. S. McClenahan, of the district court, in the case of Dunham vs the city of Brainerd et al, wherein the city was upheld in its purchase and sale of electrical supplies, was the most lengthy one ever filed in this judicial division, embracing fully 6,000 words.

The soldier who executes his captain's command is no less valuable than the captain who gave the order.---Don Quixote.

GRAND AND PETIT JURIES

Lists are Completed for Service at the May Term of the District Court in Brainerd

GRAND JURY CALLED FOR MAY 1

Petit Jury Called for May 3 at 9:00 O'clock in the Morning. Personnel of Each Given

Jury lists were drawn today for the May term of the district court to be held in Brainerd.

The grand jury meets May 1 at 10 o'clock:

Fred Davis, Garrison.
James Travers, Manganese.
Wm. P. Bartsch, Brainerd.
A. A. Miller, Bay Lake.
Fred Gruenhagen, Brainerd.
Jens Molstad, Brainerd.
Tom T. Blackburn, Brainerd.
John Carlson, Brainerd.
Joe C. Herbst, Riverton.
A. C. Ford, Brainerd.
P. M. Zakariassen, Brainerd.
Geo. W. Hess, Brainerd.
W. H. Andrews, Outing.
J. P. Long, Ironton.
John Cochrane, Brainerd.
Ernest Ritari, Brainerd.
Hugo Almquist, Crosby.
Erick Olson, Ironton.
Albert Love, Dykeman.
Clyde L. Burnett, Brainerd.
Gus Carlson, Long Lake.
W. S. Pitt, Crosby.
G. C. Olson, Brainerd.

The petit jury meets at 9 o'clock on May 3. It includes:

E. E. Taylor, Merrifield.
Erick Anderson, Brainerd.
T. E. Smith, Brainerd.
Frank Lowey, Brainerd.
P. G. Fogelstrom, Brainerd.
Arthur Lydson, Brainerd.

Sivert Olson, Brainerd.
Henry J. Behne, Brainerd.
Edw. P. Anderson, Brainerd.
Charles Nyland, Brainerd.
A. L. Anderson, Brainerd.
Gust Fransen, Deerwood.
Leslie Jack, Crow Wing.
Charles Andrews, Jenkins.
G. B. James, Daggett Brook.
Thomas Jordan, Manganese.
Chester Berry, Ironton.
James McGuire, Crosby.
George Phelps, Wolford.
Andrew Tomberlin, Daggett Brook.
Ole Lawson, Fort Ripley.
Robert Johnson, Merrifield.
M. F. Crosby, Crosby.
Louis Kaitenbach, Riverton.

THE WATCHMAN COLUMN

(By Geo. Martin)

Matches
The world is cursed today with the temperamental match. Formerly the match was a big, husky silver of wood with a head full of fire and brimstone. It was a hair trigger match. One you could strike anywhere and get results. But matches today are different. Thin, stunted, puny little things. And so damned particular they have to be scratched on their own brand of sandpaper or they won't light. You just have to coax them all the time. And their heads fly off on the slightest provocation. They're no good.
Drat a match that has to be wheedled into doing its duty anyhow.

The actual figures show that there is about one execution for every seventy-five homicides which occur in the United States.

REPAIR HOISTS AT THE WILCOX

Woodrow, Minn., March 14. The Wilcox mine of the Canadian-Cuyuna Ore Co., will close for two or three days to make repairs to its hoist. Drums will be taken out and other repairs made. The mine has been working regularly and daily hoisting a large amount of ore, every pound sold in advance to a Canadian steel company having extensive furnaces.

"The Bird of Paradise"

The only play on the American stage today that deals with life on the Hawaiian Islands, those pretty South Sea possessions of Uncle Sam, namely, "The Bird of Paradise," will open its engagement at the Brainerd opera house, Saturday evening, March 17.

It was produced six years ago by Oliver Morosco, the well known eastern producer and will enter upon its sixth road tour this year. The story is by Richard Walton Tully, the author of "The Rose of the Rancho," "Omar, the Tentmaker," and "The Flame," his latest effort. Mr. Tully lived for many years on the Islands, and in "The Bird of Paradise" he has brought his audience in close touch with matters pertaining to them just before the annexation. He tells a story of love and intrigue, and although he brings the note of tragedy into the life of the little Hawaiian girl, Luana, who makes her mistake like many others of her sisters before her, yet redeems her error by her own self-sacrifice, he also shows many flashes of humor both native and American.

Bessie Barriscale, Lenore Ulrich and Carlotta Monterey have all been seen as Luana, and Mr. Morosco will now offer another newcomer in Miss

AWNINGS

Let us figure on your requirements for rope pull or automatic awnings. Now is the time to have them installed. We can do your work promptly. Better have it done NOW as the warm days will soon be here.

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Get Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets

That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practicing physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No gripping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" now and then---a bad breath---a dull, tired feeling---sick headache---torpid liver and are constipated, you'll find quick, sure and only pleasant results from one or two little Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take one or two every night just to keep right. Try them. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

WANTS

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Good kitchen girl at Windsor hotel. 541-2351r
GIRL WANTED—Also want woman to do washing. Call at 307 S. 7th St. 551-2381r

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two rooms at 917 Grove St. 536-2341r
FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with baths, at 917 Grove St. 536-2341r
FOR RENT—Steam heated furnished rooms for one or two at the Mahlum block. 537-2351r
FOR RENT—10 acres on East Oak street adjoining city limits. H. Poppenberg, 620 Second avenue. 549-2381r
FOR RENT—Three downstairs rooms partly furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping. 422 7th St. N. 546-2371r

FOR SALE

WANTED—Second hand range. Phone 359-J. 552-2381r
FOR SALE—Piano and two stoves. 601 Second Ave. N. E. 545-2371r
FOR SALE—Range, practically new, reasonable price. Call Northwest 107. 556-2391r
FOR SALE—At a bargain, our Studebaker delivery truck. Turcotte Bros. 528-2321r
FOR SALE—One Underwood typewriter, 1 protectograph. Inquire C. M. Patek & Son. 538-2351r
AUTOMOBILE FOR SALE—My 7-passenger 6 cylinder Studebaker machine, must be sold at once. Inquire at C. M. Patek & Son. 539-2351r
FOR SALE—Six room house and 50 foot lot 124 2nd Ave. Electric lights, sewer connections and other modern conveniences. Inquire at premises. 522-2301r
\$1,650.00—Six room dwelling, located on South Broadway, near high school. The lot 50x140 in this choice location is valued at \$1000. Apply to Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block. 533-2381r
FOR SALE—Desirable residence lots in Southeast Brainerd. Also 40 acres of land south of Barrows, with full mineral rights. Inquire or write G. S. Swanson, attorney, Brainerd, Minn. 555-2381r
FOR SALE—One model 82-B Overland 5 passenger touring car, electric starter, extra tire, etc. all in finest of shape. Has not been driven a whole season. Must sell at once as I have ordered a 7 passenger Overland. Car may be seen at Woodhead Motor Company garage. 555-2391r

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Small writing desk. Telephone 144. 544-2361r
ROOM AND BOARD—815 North Main street. N. W. Phone 530-L. 540-2381r
WORK WANTED by young lady. Experienced in store work. Call 272-R. 512-2271r
WANTED—To list houses and vacant lots for sale; good prospects ahead. Nettleton. 531-2321r
WANTED—To buy for cash 4 or 5 room house, well located. Address Box 244, City. 550-2381r
WANTED—I have customers for residence property and vacant lots. List your property for sale with Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.
WANTED—500 cords rock at once. Will pay \$7 cord for rock delivered at Northwest Paper Co. dam at Brainerd before March 20, 1917. 534-2331r
WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay \$1.00 to \$5.00 per set. Mail to L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 543-2361r

EASY TO DARKEN
YOUR GRAY HAIR

You can Bring Back Color and Lustre with Sage Tea and Sulphur.

When you darken your hair with Sage Tea and Sulphur, no one can tell, because it's done so naturally, so evenly. Preparing this mixture, though, at home is messy and troublesome. For 50 cents you can buy at any drug store the ready-to-use preparation, improved by the addition of other ingredients, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound." You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning all gray hair disappears, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully darkened, glossy and luxuriant.

Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

SPORT NEWS

Whitman Decision
Dooms N. Y. Boxing

BY H. C. HAMILTON,
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)
New York, March 14—Any idea any one might have had that boxing wasn't on its last legs and tottering unsteadily to its corner for the final round should be thoroughly dissipated by Gov. Whitman's action in New York when he refused to permit Les Darcy to appear in public bouts.

Whether it will seep into other states and knock the game clear out of the ring is something else and remains for time to tell.

Whitman was severely criticised in many quarters when he took his stand against Darcy, while in other spots he was highly commended.

Critics declared he should not have shown discrimination against Darcy, pointing out that Freddie Welsh, Tom Cowler, Ted Lewis and others are allowed to box without interference. They are just as much at fault as is Darcy, for they are Englishmen, whereas Darcy is an Australian, and of Irish descent.

Whitman's action seems to have been taken because Darcy had neglected his duty to come to America and get some easy money. The spectacle of a foreigner coming here and separating New Yorkers from their cash because they were easy marks evidently didn't appeal to the governor. The other English boxers already were in this country when war was declared.

Darcy made a frightful mistake when he refused to talk business with Mike Gibbons and promoters from the middle west. Then, when he listened to bad advice and separated himself from Tim O'Sullivan he made another bad step. Each of these actions caused adverse comment and the people began to kick.

Governor Whitman's attention naturally was called to what was going on. He couldn't have helped seeing it if he read the newspapers. Darcy wasn't complimented by any means in the things said about him. If Governor Whitman got the wrong impression it's his own fault.

The money-grubbers among the boxers are fast choking the wind out of the goose that lays the golden egg. It wouldn't be at all surprising if every boxing law in the country was wiped off the books within two or three years.

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GERMANS RETIRE
ON WIDE FRONT

British Launch Attack After Heavy Bombardment.

STEADILY BEND TEUTONIC LINE

London Reports Germans Have Abandoned Main Defensive System West of Bapaume on a Front of Three and a Half Miles to a Depth of a Mile.

London, March 14.—Further notable gains have been made by the British forces against the Germans in the operations which have as their object the capture of Bapaume and a general bending back of the German line eastward in the Somme and Ancre regions of France.

According to the British war office communication under another of the terrific British bombardments the Germans have abandoned their main defensive system west of Bapaume on a front of three and a half miles to a depth of a mile.

The advance gave King George's troops the village of Grevillers and the Loupart wood, bringing the advanced British forces to a scant mile and a half from the northwestern outskirts of Bapaume.

North of the Ancre the left wing of the British in this particular operation has bent back the German line on a front of about a mile east and north-east of Commercourt.

After the capture of Bagdad Sunday the British cavalry kept on the heels of the retreating Turks and occupied the town of Kazimain, five miles to the north.

Gunboats are proceeding up the river in pursuit of the Turks.

SOME SPICY
SPORT CHATSIndians Passing Out as Big
League Ball Players.

BENDER IS ABOUT THROUGH

Phillies' Veteran Native Pitcher Has Been Let Out by Pat Moran—Meyers of Brooklyn Also May Go—Thorpe Still With the Giants.

It looks as if the day of the Indian in big league baseball is now passed. Chief Bender, the great Chippewa pitcher of the Phillies, has been released by Pat Moran. With the passing of this once great pitcher the national pastime will have come near to ushering out from the ranks of the majors every red man of any note.

Chief John Tortes Meyers is on the verge of a break with the Dodgers, and several have been frank enough to calculate that, whether or not he comes to terms with Colonel Ebbets, the Mission warrior has about run his course as a big leaguer. Ben Tincup, another Indian, who for several seasons or parts of seasons drew pay from the Phillies, is in the minors. Jim Bluejacket, heralded a few seasons ago as a likely candidate to continue the activities of the redskin in big league circles, flattered with the Federal league and vanished. Jim Thorpe is still on hand. But Jim's chances for spiking a season's berth with the Giants are considered rather slim. It is quite possible that the close of the coming season may find both major leagues minus the services of a single Indian regular.

An American invasion of Japan from the Pacific coast is planned in June. In fact, the Japanese have invited the invasion, which is to be of a baseball nature. Keio university has asked the University of California to play a twelve game baseball series, starting on May 15. California has replied that it is willing to make the trip if the date is moved back a month. That the Japs will oblige almost is certain. California already has a series scheduled in Honolulu and wants to play that on the way to Japan.

There is one activity in which the Jap will concede that America can teach him something, and that is sport. However, from what we have seen of the orientals in baseball and tennis they are very quick learners. In everything—manufactures, commerce and sport, too—they are remarkable imitators. In sport that ability to imitate is born largely of agility and stamina.

Who is the best batting first baseman in baseball? Here is an opportunity for some lively argument. Straightway the records of Jake Daubert and Hal Chase will rise in the memory of the average fan, especially since Prince Hal topped the batters of the National league last season, while Daubert has been well up every year for several seasons. Then, too, the work of young George Sisler of St. Louis will bob up. Not one of this trio, however, can lay claim to top place among regular tenants of the first bag who are active on the job today.

The best man with the willow in the position, according to cold figures, is John "Stuffy" McInnis of Connie Mack's Athletics. Taking them from their records since they have been in regular service, McInnis leads the field. He has a general average of .315 for six full campaigns. Daubert is next, with .310 for seven seasons. Sisler for his short period of service has hit just one point shy of .300, while Hal Chase in twelve years has averaged .290. No other first baseman in the game now has ranged as high as .290 for his full stay under the big tops.

Athletic (particularly football) relations between Princeton and Rutgers, which appeared strained, have been strengthened, and it is almost certain that the New Jersey college once more will meet on the gridiron in 1918. The Tigers have agreed to make the trip to New Brunswick for a baseball game on June 11, and for those who appreciate it that is quite a concession.

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SENATE'S STAND
ON CLOTURE RULE

Many Hesitate to Permit Closing of Debate.

PROBLEM A KNOTTY ONE

While There Is No Reasonable Argument Against Closure, It Has Been Demonstrated That Unlimited Debate Has Killed More Bad Than Good Legislation—Topics For Senate Talk.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, March 14.—[Special.]—The time may come when cloture will be adopted for the senate, but a great many senators hesitate to permit cloture—the closing of debate, the absolute destruction of the filibuster—to become a rule in the senate.

Upon its face the proposition seems reasonable. Why should not a legislative body have the power to bring a measure to a vote? Why should one man or a group of men have the power to hold up a session of congress, defeat important legislation, unless the contentions for which they stand are granted?

Why, a dozen unanswerable propositions of that character can be presented. Then why not cloture?

Because There Is a Remedy.

The real answer to all the unanswerable questions is that there is a remedy and that filibusters kill more bad legislation than good legislation.

A successful filibuster must have the support of public opinion. That does not apply to a filibuster started a few days before a congress ends, but during a long session of congress.

The remedy for a filibuster which is not supported by public opinion and which kills a measure in a short session when the term of a congress ends is the immediate call of an extra session of congress. If public opinion favors the legislation it will pass, for there can be two years of continuous session and a vote forced.

What Is Feared.

One thing which opponents of cloture fear is that a majority may some time force unreasonable and unjust legislation. That has been attempted.

There is a large element in the western states which fears conservation legislation, believed to be detrimental to its interests. There have been propositions in regard to postage rates for newspapers and periodicals which publishers thought were unjust, and many other instances could be cited.

It is the fear that at some time something will be put over.

Topics For Talk.

The senate has topics for talk in the question of revising the rules—whether the senate is a continuous body, whether the senate can transact legislative business.

These questions involve precedents of more than 100 years—the constitution and legal construction. With so many lawyers these various subjects of senate conversation continue without limit.

Many People Indorse This.

Congressman Madden of Illinois supported the armed neutrality bill, but in doing so voiced a widely developed sentiment in this country in saying:

"I am opposed to sending American soldiers to fight on European battlefields. I am opposed to seeing craps on any American door due to the loss of American life on European battlefields. I do not want to witness the sorrow of American mothers on account of the loss of their sons on the blood stained fields of Europe, fighting for a cause that does not concern America. I am opposed to this nation sitting at the counsel table to mark the boundary lines of European nations. I am opposed to any American-European alliance, and I want the United States to stand alone in the assertion of American rights, and after that has been accomplished I want America to withdraw."

Story From the Far West.

One day Congressman Albert Johnson of Washington told the house an interesting story of the activity of government officials in his state. It appeared that a cow had strayed on a government reservation and was investigated by government officers, as was shown by the following story:

"The three investigators navigated the Quinault river; they loitered near the beautiful and balmy Pacific ocean beach; they pursued that cow through the Quinault valley; up and down they went, and finally their investigation led them to conclude that the homesteader's cow, which had gone over this imaginary line in this little valley, had eaten 45 cents' worth of grass. Thereupon they rendered a bill for 45 cents for the destruction of grass on the forest reserve. They went back and forth on the railroads at this \$3 a day rate, or whatever it is for subsistence, in addition to railroad and Pullman fare, and one of them made another trip in there to collect 45 cents, which the homesteader declared he would not pay."

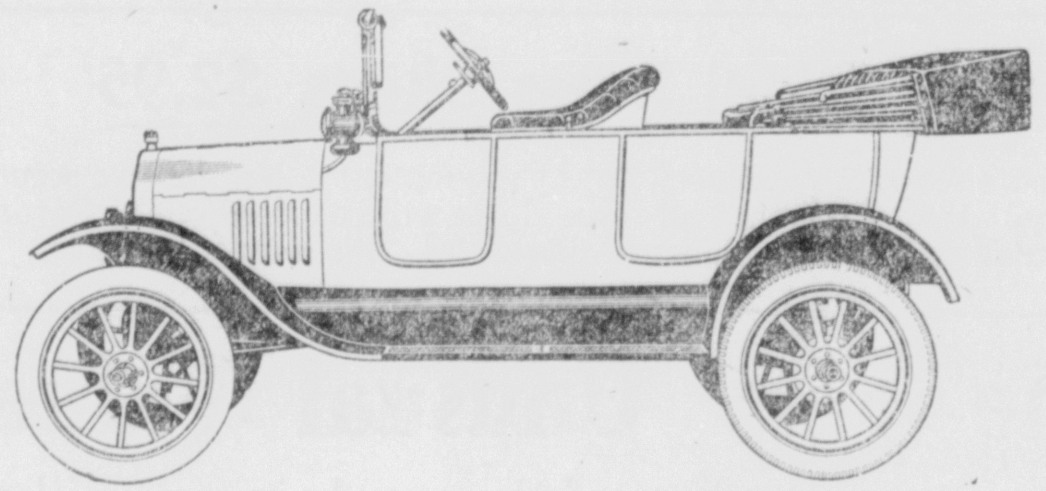
Mild Hazing.

Discussions in the senate these days may be considered a mild kind of hazing for the new senators. They are in duty bound to listen to the long speeches. If they should absent themselves they might be offending senators who will be very useful to them at some time in the future.

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THAW IS DECLARED INSANE

Cannot Be Taken to New York to Stand Trial.

Philadelphia, March 14.—Harry K. Thaw was adjudged a lunatic by the common pleas court of this city and under the law cannot be taken to New York on requisition to stand trial on charges of assaulting Frederick Gump, Jr., a high school student of Kansas City, Mo.

Thaw will be kept in St. Mary's hospital here pending his removal to a Pennsylvania asylum.

The court's action was based on the report presented by a lunacy commission.

MAY BE ENFORCED AT ONCE

South Dakota Dry Law Said to Be Immediately Effective.

Mitchell, S. D., March 14.—While it has been generally understood by South Dakotans that none of the provisions of the dry law enacted by the state legislature will be effective before July 1 an interpretation has been given out from the state anti-saloon headquarters here that is making the "wets" anxious.

The leaguers say many provisions of the dry law are effective now. Important among these is the prohibition of the sale of liquor in clubs under penalty of jail sentence or fine.

ON ARMED AMERICAN SHIP

Secretary to Embassy in London Will Soon Sail.

Washington, March 14.—Hugh Gibson, secretary, London embassy, will probably be one of the first passengers booked to sail on an armed American merchantman to England. Mr. Gibson is now attached to the state department.

Efforts are being made to arrange his passage on the next American ship that sails.

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